January 1st, near Aatorga, *arriml qf the c&urier from* JPam.

%d% A»torga:

We have f<wmi 800 dead hon*e« along the road and much bttgg»«e, with .supplier. The* Guard ii returning to Benavente, and I am coming hark closer to the centre of my armies*.

Qth, Benaveute:

(To Joseph.) I thank you fur your gtHni wwhrs for the new year. I have no IHJJM* ivs yt't tl»tt KurojK* will h« pacified thin yi^{v}ar. 1 have «> little IUIJM* tif it that 1 jiigncd a decree yeHtcrday t« rai^c l(M),{MK) nwn.

Hnppinn*N ? Ah! t»f nnirm*! Tliprt*** littlr enough quc.stion <»f hnppincss tl«*»r dny«!

7th. Valladolitl:

I have left the Dukt* t»f DiUmatm with ao.OW) nvn to pUMtic the* Ktiglish,

Hth, Morning parade:

Ah, yen, 1 know, you all want tw get back t« Fmrb, to your had halnt», »nd your inisttv^cs! Well, I mean to kcs»p you with thr ct»h>urs til) ytm'rt* eighty!

0th, (To Jo-«t*plnm«.) M(*UHt«chc han brought me your letter of the Sl«t of Dccpmlwr. I jwrwiw, dear friend, that you are worrird, that you are in a nUU» of black anxiety, Austria will not mukr wiir cm mt*. IfshedorM, I have I50»(K10 turn in (*t*rntiun>'« inul *m* many *MI* the lUtine,